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Christmas Goods!

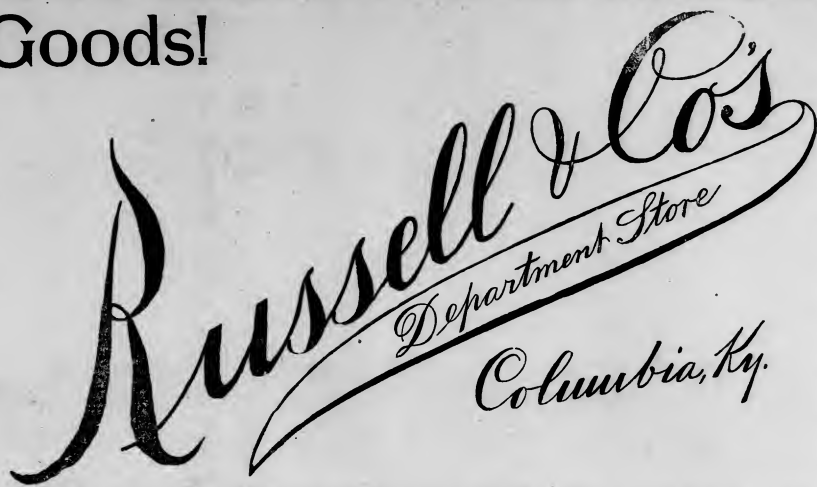
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LOCAL.

Dr. J. G. Staples sold his X-ray and electrical machinery and complete office fixtures to Drs. Russell and Hindman, recently. Dr. Staples will locate in Birmingham, Ala., where he already has a highly profitable position offered him. This change, so we are informed, was not made on account of Dr. Staples failing to do business for he had a fine practice and was constantly a busy man, but his taste for strictly city practice and the extra inducement held out to him in wide-awake Birmingham, caused the change. It is regretted by his many friends that he has decided to leave but their good wishes for his success accompany him. Mrs. Staples is a Southern lady and her stay here has been exceedingly pleasant and resulted in making many true friends who regret to part from her.

Did you ever think what good your county paper was doing? When reminded of the fact that the News never fails to show up something good for Columbia, every week, don't you feel like you ought, as business men, do more advertising and help build and broaden its commercial interests? You should remember that 200 papers leave this office every week and are read by many thousands. If the trade of this town is not wonderfully increased in 1906 it will be the fault of the business people for they can come in speaking distances with multitudes, through the News.

A few of our subscribers have responded to the call for payment. Gentlemen, who make corn and wheat, if you had to sell your entire crops out each year in little dribs and credits all you bought, then you could realize why so many calls have been made, and doubtless it would cause you to remember the printer each season. It is true all along the line.

Public Sale.

The sale of G. A. Atkins, administrator of the estate of W. J. Atkins, was held last Saturday. The day was pleasant and a large crowd was on the grounds. A bid of \$3,775.00 was made on the farm but was rejected. All the stock and other property was sold at fair prices. J. S. Breeding was the auctioneer and was in fine trim for good work which he always gives. For the results of the sale, look it up in the Land, Stock and Crop column.

Mias Penland's first appearance before a Columbia audience proved conclusively that the Lindsay-Wilson had made no mistake in the selection of a music teacher. She possesses marked ability both as a pianist and vocalist. Her technique is excellent and her old-fashioned good voice is not only notable for its sweetness and cultivation, but she also has a magnificent range.

Within a few more weeks many of the public schools will close and then educational interest with the young people will be side-tracked until next fall, unless they are sent to a school of merit during the winter months.

The five men who were arrested, charged with the murder of Alexander Avery, in Clinton county, were acquitted at their examining trial, at Albany, last week. Robt. Thurman, who killed Porter Perrell, last August, was also acquitted. The evidence showed that he killed him in self-defense.

Mrs. Nelson, wife of the Principal of the W. T. School who assisted the teachers in their recital last Friday night has enjoyed an enviable reputation in the South as a pianist as well as a composer, having last Summer composed the words and music both to a cantata which filled one entire evening. The imported Philippino gown which she wore was one of the handsomest ever seen in Columbia.

The teachers of our public schools have an opportunity in the Normal department of the Lindsay-Wilson School, to brighten up at a very moderate expense. The most interesting class ever assembled in Southern Kentucky is expected just after the holidays. If you are going to school this is the place.

Miss Duncan's illness on Friday evening was a source of great disappointment to her friends and patrons, as her recitations are always enjoyed. She had only begun her first number when she had to leave the stage and was unable to return till late in the program when she gave "Aur I'll come" with a musical accompaniment. She was heartily enjoyed. Miss Duncan long ago established her reputation here as an elocutionist.

A large crowd attended the Epperson sale last Wednesday and everything sold at satisfactory prices. Mr. Sam Breeding was the auctioneer and when he cried "3 times and gone" it went at a good price, regardless of what it was. Corn sold at \$2.00 per bushel at the crib. Wheat 80 cents per bushel. Several head of cattle sold at full market value, while 11 head of sheep was knocked off at \$4.00 a piece. Only one horse and the price was \$65.00, Mr. R. K. Young being the successful bidder.

The widow Howard, of the Keltner country, while enroute to Columbia, last Monday morning, met with the misfortune of losing her pocket book while crossing Pettisfork. She stated that her daughter was with her in the vehicle and the book containing the money was in a small bag which had drawn strings, and soon after crossing the creek they missed the bag. Returning at once they found the bag in the creek but the five dollar bill had floated out. On their arrival in Columbia the old lady told her story and solicited aid to cover her loss. Just how much she received we do not know but the business people of the town had an opportunity to contribute.

Dan Patch paced a mile on the Memphis track on the 11th, in 1.58. That record can't be patched by any other horse.

Read the advertisement of Mr. M. J. Murrell, in this issue, and attend his sale if you need any thing usually owned by our best farmers.

The Lindsay-Wilson School is no place for the fellow who wants a good time. Every student must work his own way and not be a drag business.

Art Notes.

Last week's Art Notes spoke of Dr. Elliott as President of Howard College. He is President of old Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts.

Miss Trabue will give lessons in China painting, at 50 cents a lesson.

A farm one and a half miles from Lexington, containing 158 acres, sold for \$22.00 per acre. Of course that is good land and near a good thrifty city, but there is plenty of land within a short distance from Columbia that can be purchased from \$10.00 to \$40.00. It is a good time to buy.

If you don't want your children to lose interest in their studies then arrange for them to enter the Lindsay-Wilson Training School just as soon as your public school closes. The Lindsay-Wilson has one of the best faculties of any school of similar grade in the State. Its prices are cheap and its requirements of its students sufficient to keep them at work.

Serious Fall.

The wife of Huston Green, of near Fairplay, fell from a barn loft, last week, breaking her right ankle and receiving some internal injuries. She is near 70 years of age and chances for her recovery are not so good as would be with a younger person.

Church Social.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will give a Dime Social at the residence of Dr. Grissom, on Friday evening, Nov. 24, 1905. Every body invited. Admission 10c. Committee on entertainment, Mrs. Shelton, Miss Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. Jo Coffey, Jr.

Ginseng.

Mr. W. H. Jones, of Cane Valley, a pioneer ginseng grower in this county, informed us, while in Columbia last week, that he had several pounds of dry roots on hand which he had refused \$3.25 per pound, but believing that a better price would be given at an early day, is holding. Mr. Jones has 2000 large plants he is keeping to produce seed while his patch now has about 50,000 nice healthy plants growing for the market. He will plant 50,000 seed in a short time which will germinate next spring. Mr. Jones is a believer in growing the plant in the woods in order to give it its true flavor. In this we believe he is correct to the letter.

Dr. J. H. Grady and wife will leave this, Wednesday morning for their new home in Monticello. For many years Dr. Grady has been a practicing physician in this town and county and we have never yet heard any one speak of him except in the highest terms. As a physician and surgeon he stands in the front rank of his profession, both in knowledge and successful practice. In many ways Dr. Grady will be missed by the people of this section. As a physician he will be missed by the many who have implicit confidence in his skill. As a gentleman of the strictest integrity his place will be hard to fill, and as an active, impartial member of the Masonic order, both in Lodge and chapter, we will miss him there. To the good people of Monticello and Wayne county, the News takes pleasure in introducing to you one of our citizens who comes to make his home with you and who will prove his worth in his profession, in citizenship and fraternal ties. Dr. J. H. Grady, with whom we reluctantly part, to the ladies we can cheerfully attest that Mrs. Grady is a lady highly esteemed by her many friends and acquaintances in this town who trust that her association with you will be as pleasant as it has in this, her home for many years.

The warm weather of the last few days is not the liking of some of our farmers who killed hogs last week. But few have been butchered and it is safe to say that the greater number of swine will not quit corn until after Thanksgiving and some settled old weather is at hand. A few years ago nearly every farmer in this country had trouble to save their pork and in many instances the hams were lost. It was quite common then to hear people say, "I have lost all my joints," and some would put it, "my joints all spilled." To save your joints don't be in a hurry to save your corn.

Last Sunday afternoon Mr. Jo Coffey, Sr., was riding at a rather lively gait, to escape a rain that was coming, and at the intersection of the Campbellsville pike and the street that leads to his barn his horse slipped and fell throwing him to the ground with much force. He was up quicker than the animal, mounted and went to the barn. Outside of a few bruises no harm was done. Mr. Coffey has been cashier of the Bank of Columbia for many years, but all along has taken some out door exercise and is regarded an excellent rider. He fell like this his age but Mr. Coffey yet possesses more nerve than the average boy of 18.

Preaching Next Sunday.

J. P. Scruggs, Gradyville
J. L. Atkins, Salem.
W. C. Clemens, Columbia.
W. L. Oler, Columbia.
Z. T. Williams, Greenbush.
W. H. C. Sandidge, New Union.
J. F. Barger, Freedom.
W. S. Dudgeon, Hinchinson School-house.
W. A. Grant, Milltown.
G. Y. Wilson, Pleasant Ridge.

Is Your Name Written There.

The following is our paid list since last reported: R. B. Logan, C. C. Kincaid, C. R. Cabell, M. L. Mitchell, W. G. Conover, Miss Tillie Trabue, H. C. Wolford, Jasper Bunch, Clavi Allen, W. H. Wade, W. L. Ingram, U. H. Kilpatrick, W. D. King, Dr. G. T. Simpson, Braxton Masie, J. C. Dohoney, W. F. Jeffries, W. A. Garnett, Dr. J. H. Grady, S. R. Conover, Thomas L. Grady, J. W. Reynolds, B. T. Marshall, J. B. Scott, Henry R. Price, J. B. Shirley, James A. McGlasson, B. W. Sherrill, J. R. Johnston, P. H. Chestnut, Robt. Reynolds, Milton Powell, A. H. Baugh, Rev. Jessie L. Murrell, J. S. Chapman, G. B. Chestnut, L. E. Bradley, C. M. Pollard, A. J. Clark, J. S. Stapp, T. R. Price.

Fire at Sparksville.

Last Thursday evening the saw and grist mill of Wooten Bros., at Sparksville, was burned to the ground. The fire is supposed to have originated from the coals and ashes thrown from the boiler that afternoon when the furnace was cleaned. The loss is a very serious one not only to the owners but to the people of that section generally, who patronized both the saw and grist mill. The loss to the Messrs. Wooten, we understand, will reach \$800. Mr. E. F. Rowe, our informant, says that the gentlemen will begin preparations at once to erect another building and as soon as possible new machinery will be installed.

Thanksgiving Dinner.

There is going to be one of the best Thanksgiving dinners, just over the News office, that has ever been spread on a table in this little city, so we are informed. At this date the menu has not been made known, but the foundation, the large fat turkey, has already been purchased and the other dishes will be secured at the proper time. Bachelordom may be overworking with good meals and the batch may slip its toes and enjoy the delicacies of the season, but the circle is not complete, and his joys not fully rounded. It takes woman, lovely woman, to make a Thanksgiving meal the most thankful occasion in a thankful country. At any rate the occasion promises to be the crowning event of an extraordinary occasion and those fortunate enough to receive invitations will doubtless be wise enough to be present.

Mr. W. A. Humphreys, of Knifley, fell last week and severely sprained his left ankle and as a result is now confined to his room.

W. E. LESTER
DENTIST,
KENDALL, KENTUCKY.

Political Rescue.

BY FARAWAY MOSES.

Dunkleheimer has been deeply interested in politics lately. He organized a political club and elected himself its president and treasurer and secretary and adviser, bearing the honored name of "His Royal Nibs, and Outside Guard of the Boodle." The club meets at the cobbler shop every time the candidates feel like interviewing the club and are willing to furnish a keg of beer and a few patriotic precepts, with promises of more later on. The cobbler generally delivers the speech of welcome, and pronounces the benediction at the conclusion of the conference, providing he is sober enough to remember a choice selection of big words and quotations from big words and quotes never lived on earth since the big flood.

Just before the election the candidates were thicker than June bugs in July, and the club held nightly sessions to accommodate the patriots who were so willing to sacrifice themselves and drag the accompanying emoluments. One candidate for a county office made a weekly trip to the club rooms and supplied liquid refreshments each night, in order to draw out all our forces and count them over. He would count them in the beginning, while they were all able to stand up in a row, and count them again after some of the most patriotic were laid out in a deep beery slumber. By and by he discovered that his opponent was a guest at our club on nights when he was elsewhere building political fences, and he began to lose confidence in the cobbler. "Why, cobbler," he said one night, "this uncertainty of the future is painful. I can't bet on your club at all. One night they are drinking my Republican beer and shouting for 'Teddy, the Trust Smasher,' and the G. O. P., and the very next night they are all drinking Democratic beer and shouting for the income tax and government ownership of railroads. I must know where you stand. This uncertainty is too painful, and leaves me always in a grob of doubt."

"Dot was because you was no philosopher or soom poets," replied the cobbler. "Uncertainty and doubt-fuiling was der shipce of life to der men dot has sentimentalizing in his octopus, and kin dream soom political contaminations ramified nostalgia, accordingly. I n'doe see how I could liff on try facts und deasure certainties, by jimmied! But when I was realizing that dot I n'doe know, whichever where I cooms from, and how soomefer I was going back again it leafs me in some dark holes dot was illuminated mit opaque mysteries so tick dot you can't knock daylight out of a lantern mit a club."

"My der man," continued Dunkleheimer, as he placed one arm around the candidate and spoke in tear-soaked words that were swollen up with melancholy; "when I was soomtimes cotemplating all dot doubt-fuiness I feels out yonder beyot der cowpasture field of Time, where I shall be segregating in der sweet consequently futurity mit vociferous spookology, deere was melancholy shwelling op my summer solstice mit sweet poetic dreamlands, und eternity looks so long und deep und wide und dark und gloomy dot my horrified soul kin done nodding else but set on der raffe fence around my skeertness and blow his nose in my plueretic web, accordingly, und fill my cotemplating mit

beautiful grafeyard gloomful-ness."

Everybody looked at the cobbler as though they accused him of being drunk, but Professor Dadd came to Dunkleheimer's rescue:

You express the poetry and pathos of doubt very beautifully, cobbler. The most sublime moments of my life are those in which I try to peep down the long and deep and dark avenue leading out into eternity, and find myself lost in a labyrinth of soul-hunger and pathos and awe and melancholy, too deep and beautiful for tears, and too majestic and inspiring for even a heart-ache or a regret."

"But, dot blast it, men, I don't want the beautiful and soul-inspiring ecstasy of opaque doubt. If I furnish a keg of beer twice week I want to be positive of the results. Is this club for me all the time, or only when the keg is on tap?" demanded the candidate.

"How was she?" demanded the cobbler, as he glanced over the crowd. "Was we der diss man all der way too, or only so 'goodle-googie' too der shipgigot!"

"All the time!" shouted a dozen voices, and Wartnogle proposed three cheers for Smucker, to be followed with a tiger and two beers. After this hilarious ceremony the cobbler and Jiggerbob, waltzed to the music of an accordion in the professional hands of Careadam Hooter, and Candidate Smucker went back to the city with his hopes revived and his purse aching with emptiness, as it were.

"How much did you borrow from Smucker?" Jiggerbob whispered in Hooter's ear; and that unblushing patriot held up both hands and wiggled the fingers and remarked: "To pay my dues to the church and chip into the foreign fund—10 plunks."

"What church do you belong to?" demanded Jiggerbob.

"Not any jist yet, but I want to be prepared for the change when she does take place. How much did you borrow, Jiggerbob?"

"Only five dollars for the fund to puttin' up toom stuns to grandmother's grave. But he promised to chip in five more to the fund for buyin' Mrs. Jiggerbob a mess of store teeth, and mebbey a extra five towards a sinkin' fund to pay for gittin' my appendix cut off if that pain shud come back and become chronic."

But candidate Smucker could not afford to come back again. The boys had drained him too severely on this sixth visit. But two other candidates for the same office, and belonging to two different political parties, visited the club and set up the beer, and received the shouts and promises of the club, the last one coming on the night previous to the election, and furnished two kegs of beer, and loaned \$20 to the tombstone and appendix funds, and secured a majority of the votes.

"Dot was according to der scriptures," argued the cobbler, "Der first shall be lasting and der last shall be firshlings, accordingly. Goot Gott was blowing der shorn winds to der temperance lamb. He dot would buy soom patriots mit beer, moos keep right on buying mit daily accumulations until after der alexion was foreclosed, accordingly, or he will be losing his superior maxillary compound pressure mit constipated vicissitude."

"And didn't you, even you,

vote for Smucker, after all those solemn promises and oratorical flights and borrowed money?" inquired Professor Dadd.

"You was a happy tooting I did not! Any men dot will buy a goot citizen und corrupt him mit cash money, kin not be trusted mit public officialism. Chentlemens, dot men Smucker cooms so near making some grafter out of me dot I yet trembles when I contemplations dot shipperry rocks of sin and folly, where I was shanding mit der hollow horn in my feets. Chentlemens, I shutter mit a regular winder shutter when I looks back to dot perodical proposition when dot men Smucker led me down der road of soom corruptioning und I was only safe at der actual brink of der precipice—actually shnatched like some blazing pine knot of—"

"How was you saved?" inquired Smutclabber, pausing in the tedious work of running a broom-splint through the stem of his old briar pipe.

"How was I saved? Why long cotodder feller on dar Prohibition tickets und expostulated on how cheap I was sold out der beer und seggars, und he buyed me back again for ten tollars und set me oop on der pedestal of righteousness mit subterraneous piety. I felt better all der then und was der same old patriot und honest cobbler, but dere was some boommle-bee shing in der bottom of my soul's salaratus dot ached mit voicerous regretfulness until Bill Thompson coomes along und buyed me back soom moore to wote der Demmyrad tickets. After dot ten tollars was salted down my soul cooms out und so on der front porches of my conscience in her bare feets sheezed soom moralizations between her toes, like some innocent school girls chewing wax at a funerals, und I was habby all ofer."

"Vut, chentlemens, she was soom narrow escapements! If I had sold out so metaphorically dot I couldn't sell back agin mit voicerous transubstantiation, accordingly, I would be so ashamed of dot beezness dot a cement patches would not shtick to my patriotism mit dot usual piety dot belongs to a Lincoln Repooican shoe shop."

"I was now a Lincoln-Tetty-Down-midder-Trusts Repooican constituent, accordingly,"

FARAWAY MOSES.

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EDUCATIONAL.

VALUE OF EDUCATION.

The average educated man gets a salary of \$1,000 a year. He works forty years, making a total of \$40,000 in a lifetime. The average day laborer gets \$1.50 a day 300 days in a year, or \$450 a year. In forty years he earns \$18,000. The difference, or \$22,000, equals the value of an education. To acquire this earning capacity requires twelve years at schools of 180 days each, or 2,160 days. Divide \$22,000 by 2,160, and it is found that each day's school is worth a little more than \$10 to the pupil. Selected.

EDUCATION AND PROSPERITY.

"An ignorant people not only is, but must be, a poor people. They must be destitute of sagacity and providence, and, of course, of competence and comfort. The proof of this does not depend upon the lessons of history, but on the constitution of nature. No richness of climate, no spontaneous productiveness of soil, no facilities for commerce, no stores of gold or of diamonds, can confer, even worldly prosperity upon an uneducated nation. Such a nation cannot create wealth of itself, and what-

ever riches may be showered upon it will run to waste. Within the last four centuries the people of Spain have owned as much silver and gold as all the other nations of Europe put together; yet, at the present time, poor indeed is the people who have less than they. The nation which has produced more of the raw material and manufactured from it more fine linen than all contemporary nations, is today the most ragged and squalid in Christendom."

—Horace Mann.

"The blind see, the deaf hear, the lame walk," is the best illustration of this subject by the master hand. No page of history will ever shine so bright that this diamond will not lend its luster.

All are blind to that which they cannot see, deaf to what they cannot hear, and lame to all they cannot attain.

The lily comes to the pink of perfection by using for its growth every drop of dew, every breath of air and every shaft of light that comes. It is an example of success in its line. The splendor and glory of Solomon could not match it. There is as much life in a dark, tangled, chaotic jungle as there is in a modern city. The life in the jungle is blind, deaf, lame; in the city it sees, hears, moves. The same in kind, but different in degree.

Seeing, hearing, walking, is life "more abundantly." Death is the cutting of every wire that communicates with the central office of life. One dim eye, dull ear, lame foot, are just so many wires down. When they are all down, the cold coils with a dull thud upon the coffin lid.

True education is the work of true educators. They teach how to "make it life to live"—not how to turn stones into bread. Colleges and universities may crumble into dust, but such men shall live forever.

"These shall resist the empire of decay. When time is o'er, and worlds have passed away. Cold in the dust the perished heart may lie,

But that which warmed it once can never die."

There are in Kentucky today a thousand schools without teachers; there are thousands of schools being taught by untrained teachers; and there are hundreds of thousands of children growing up in ignorance and vice without attending any school whatever. The crying need of our state today is a sufficient corps of Normally Trained teachers. At present, almost any person of good moral character and a certificate may be put in charge of the training of the children, although he would not be considered competent to train a bird-dog or a colt. To train these valuable animals requires special training and a practical knowledge of their nature and characteristics, as well as of the methods best adapted to their development and training. Without this knowledge upon the part of the trainer, a valuable dog or colt may be ruined. Of course the same thing may happen to the child in the hands of an untrained teacher, but it must be remembered that there is a vast difference between a fine English Pointer or a Thorough-bred Kentucky Roadster and a mere child(?)

How long will the pride of Kentuckians remain dormant in the matter of Education? How long will we allow the mass of our growing citizens to remain deaf, dumb and blind to the best there is in life? How long will we withhold the best educational advantages from the country people, just because trained teachers cost more than untrained teachers?

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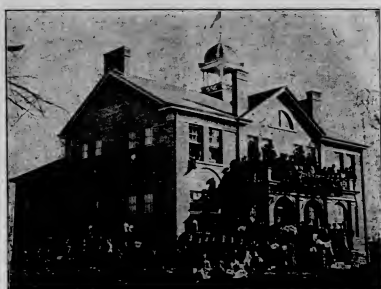
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Competition is said the life of business, but whether that saying is true or false, it is a fact that the best efforts of the average man are largely due to spirited rivalry.

James E. Kern, of Paris, one of the best known horse men of the State assigned last week. Whether this action was due to extraordinary strides or from too slow moving in fast gaits is not yet known.

The best way to clear up and clean up the thieving with insurance companies is to send them to Missouri or just send for Missouri's Governor. He made the crooked straight in St. Louis, and is big enough to clean up the East.

Through the action of the Southern Cotton Association in New Orleans, last week, the growers of cotton have pledged to hold back 3,000,000 bales from the market and force the price to 15 cents. The growers of mules in Kentucky, Tennessee, Missouri and one or two other States, could make things happen if they had a mule organization just about this time.

Edward F. Hauch, a lineman, of Lawrenceburg, Ind., while repairing a trolley, caught a live wire and was unable to release himself. Several co-workers came to his assistance, but he warned them not to touch him, and jumped from the top of the electric car to the ground, breaking the current, which meant his death. He was painfully injured by the fall. Such an act is the strongest evidence of heroism. No man but the truest and bravest would have refused aid from comrades under that or any other perilous position, though it might mean death to them. Truly he is a hero in the truest sense.

Public conditions in Russia have grown from bad to worse at an alarming rapidity. The strikers are now demanding a Republic, and just what will be done cannot be foreseen. Each day brings new complications, and evidently shortens the reign of the present Autocracy. Witte seems to be the man with the level head and doing all within his power to peacefully accomplish what the people desire, and build upon the ruins of empire, the fundamental principles and freedom of a Republic, but the people impatient and distrustful, may be too hasty and prevent Witte from executing his noble purpose, which not only requires a great mind, but time as well. Ordinarily when people are wrought to the highest pitch, when a revolutionary spirit seizes them, their truest friends and ablest advisors are set at naught and devastating methods instituted. At this time Russia is coping with just such a condition and if the peaceful methods prevail it will only be surprising, but remarkable, when compared with such public conditions with other nations. The great mass

of people throughout the world are fast coming to that state of mind that guarantees inalienable rights.

The political situation in New York City, generally, is a complex one, and the last campaign was one of unusual interest as well as one of doubtful termination. The great star actors—the outside of the ring men, Jerome for City Attorney, and Hearst for Mayor, made the most landslide movements, probably ever experienced in that great metropolis. The fearless and effective onslaught against crime and debauchery, under Jerome's administration as prosecutor, landed the ring against him, but made the people for him, and as an independent candidate was re-elected, hands down. Hearst springing suddenly on the scene of action, the leader of municipal ownership of public utilities, made one of the most remarkable campaign ever pulled off in that city, and while the returns were given in against him, yet it is doubtful as to whether he has won or lost. At any rate the pointers show that the great bulk of people will stand by a true, fearless man in the discharge of an impartial prosecution of all the vices so common in the cities, and that municipal ownership of public utilities is favored as against private greed expressed by the acts of corporations.

The Editor of the Elizabethtown News wrote some good articles on the Constitutional Amendment proposition, but judging him by his writings, he could not be located on that important question. At any rate, the vote in his county stood 713 for the Amendment, with 1277 against it, leaving a clear majority of 564 for the get-behind-the-curtains.

From the general movements, there is evidently something brewing in the local political situation. J. N. Coffey, whose political sagacity has heretofore fathomed the depths of complicated situations, unraveled the knotty tie-ups of clashing aspirations and set at naught the Will-o'-the-wisp phantom of unrighteous methods, in Adair county, is too busy a man to indicate that a normal political condition exists. There is something going to happen a state for both parties, doubtless will be made by this astute political doer. We are watching him and will give his plans to the public, if able to get a glimpse of his intentions.

GRADYVILLE.

Quite a number of our people attended the Atkins sale last Saturday.

Our public roads are as good as pikes at this time.

Chas. Sparks, merchant of Weed, sold his stock of goods to James Sullens, who will continue business at the same old stand.

John Hughes and wife, of Edmont, visited at W. L. Grady's Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Mollie Gupton and son, of Eastfork, visited relatives here a day or so ago.

Rev. G. R. Wilson in company with his wife filled his appointment at Breeding Sunday.

Prof. R. R. Moss, of Columbia, spent last Saturday with the family of N. H. Moss.

C. M. Hindman presented us last week with some very nice, ripe strawberries, the second crop for this year.

Mr. C. O. Moss was transacted.

ing business at Bliss, a day or so of last week.

Mr. J. A. Diddle sold last week to Mr. J. P. Dohoney, of Columbia, a nice bunch of cattle at 22 cents per pound.

Mr. J. H. Smith returned from the Louisville market, last week, where he sold a car load of hogs and cattle.

The baby, of Mr. and Mrs. Strong Hill, has been quite sick for several days.

Mr. Cleo Sherrill, who has been dangerously sick, for several days with pneumonia, is improving.

Mr. Robt. McCaffrey, the well known Surveyor of this county, called in to see us on his return from Edmont, last Thursday.

We are glad to note that Mr. John R. Yates, who has been confined, for a week or more, with a severe case of pneumonia fever, is improving.

Mr. John M. Wilson, one of our best farmers, sold a nice pair of mules, last week, to Coffey Bros., of Columbia, for \$230.00.

Mr. C. S. Bell returned from Washington county, last Thursday, where he had been engaged in selling cattle.

Mr. Sam Mitchell passed through here Saturday, enroute for Edmont.

Mr. Buck Willis, one of East Fork's best citizens, was here last week and informed us that he was thinking of buying a farm in this section and locating with us. We would be pleased to have Mr. Willis and family in our community.

Mr. Bob Mitchell, of Metcalfe county, was in our vicinity last week and while here bought a nice bunch of fat hogs at 41 cents per pound.

Rev. J. W. Sexton and wife

spent several days of last week visiting relatives near Gadberry. Dr. S. A. Taylor, our well known physician, has been on the sick list for several days.

Miss Nannie Rowe, who is teaching a very interesting school near Sparksville, gave a spelling last Friday night, which was largely attended. Her pupils spelled well. Dr. L. C. Nell, of our city, was called to that community, the night of the spelling and dropped in to hear the pupils. He was solicited to participate, and to the surprise of every one present, carried off the blue ribbon as the best speller.

Our farmers have been busy for the past week, gathering corn and bird-hunting. They report a good crop of both.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Keltner spent several days of last week visiting their daughter, Mrs. Jacob Nelson, at Greensburg.

Mr. Robert Young and Attorney Sandidge, of Burksville, stopped over night at the Wilmore house last Friday night, on their return from Greensburg.

Remember, the protracted meeting will begin here Monday night. Everybody invited to attend.

Prof. Byron Montgomery presented your reporter, one day last week, with a petrified walnut, it has every appearance of a real nut.

Rev. G. Y. Wilson closed, last week, a very successful revival at Pleasant Ridge Church. During these services there were professions. The church as well as the community at large, was greatly revived. The people of that community report this the best meeting they have had for many years.

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W. L. WALKER.

LOCAL NEWS.

Lorenzo Corder has been appointed post master at Slavens, Wayne county.

The weather, last week, was cool and bracing and the corn snapped like winter time.

The recent chilly weather should remind Columbians that it is the proper time to fill wood houses.

Pile & Patterson are drilling a well for W. H. Gill on his lot adjoining the campus of the Lindsay-Wilson.

There was a small delivery of nursery stock in Columbia Saturday, and the size and condition of the fruit trees were excellent.

Judge W. W. Jones received his jack-of-all-trades, Fairbanks engine, last week, and it is now pumping his well and cutting his wood. A little engine is as handy as an extra pocket.

Linnie McLean, Contractor, began work on W. H. Gill's residence a few days ago and within a very short time Mr. Gill will be singing his sweet lullaby, "After the Sun Goes Down," on Arborvitae hill.

It is reported that Ed Cundiff, who was in the shooting scrape at Cane Valley, just before the election, has left for parts unknown, but our correspondent at that place states that he is off on a visit and will return for his trial.

Just think about eggs selling for 20c per dozen in Columbia, and the hens just foin' around. It's enough to worry the most patient woman who has interests in the profits to be derived from chickens.

Our land, stock and crop columns was left out last week due to demands of regular and irregular correspondence. But trade items are always new when first told. They are just as good this week as last and therefore they are supplemented by later reports.

The Columbia Band was out Friday evening, under the glare of electricity, and gave a few choice pieces in such a manner as to make all who heard them feel that the Bands coming. The people will be proud of the band some day and the band be proud of the people. Now is the time to administer encouragement.

In another column we publish a statement of the First National Bank of Columbia which makes a good showing for that institution. All parties connected with the First National are business men of strict integrity, and its growth and strength in the business of this part of the State is evidence of the confidence reposed in its management. Read the statement.

Mr. M. F. Lawrence, who is instructing the Columbia band, is highly pleased with the advancement being made by every member. While the instructor is well pleased, we know for a certainty that the boys believe they have the best teacher that ever tried to lead in music making in Columbia. It is fortunate for both instructor and those to be instructed, that they have confidence unimpaired in each other and such a state of mind will naturally lead to the best end possible. The band is coming and blowing its own horns.

Mr. J. N. Murrell, on the Stanford road, one mile from Columbia, has a few head of cattle for sale.

The negro who was shot at Cane Valley some time ago, is not recovering very rapidly, so we are informed.

Day dreams will soon be cut short, for the lack of time, but the nap in the morning will probably compensate.

FOR SALE.—80 thoroughbred Bronze turkeys. W. M. Smith, Gradyville, Ky. 1-2t

Mr. Bumgarner, of Cane Valley, who was shot about two weeks ago, was able to be in Columbia last Saturday.

W. F. Jeffries & Sons recently received one of the largest shipments of wagons ever brought to Columbia. It is not their fault if you want a wagon and don't get it.

Insure in The Farmers Home Insurance Company, of Junction City, Ky. The only company in the State that makes any claim of paying their losses in full.

S. I. BLAIR, Agt.

The examining trial of Rollin Cundiff was set poned until next Saturday, on account of some witnesses failing to appear. The County Judge recommended the claim for bail and reduced the amount from \$2500 to \$500, which was promptly given.

The thriving little city of Greensburg narrowly escaped a disastrous fire last Monday. It was our information that the fire originated in a negro cabin and only by the most heroic work on the part of the citizens was the business part of the town saved.

There has been such a demand for carpenters, painters, paper hangers, and in fact for energy all along the line in Columbia, that our work in making a change in the press room has proceeded unusually slow. Every body busy and the only chance was to get help at night. It will soon be completed and our press placed on a solid foundation.

It is not enough to read the Thanksgiving proclamation of the President or the Governor, but with a true, open heart thank and praise God for the blessings so widely diffused throughout our country, so lavishly given to our county, and most especially for those of our own homes. If you have turkey, be thankful, and regardless of whether sick or well, strong or feeble, be thankful.

Mr. B. W. Sherrill of Knifley, was in to see us Saturday, and left a dollar to be applied on his subscription. Mr. Sherrill is teaching at Hovius, a post office recently established in the Casey Creek country. Mr. Sherrill reported the health of the people in that section to be good, and the farmers all busy gathering one of the largest crops of corn ever grown in that locality. The Kentucky Spoke and Singtree Company, under the management of W. M. Hobson, was reported as doing a splendid business, and of much worth to that section of country.

Accidentally Shot.

Bill Curry, of near Columbia, accidentally shot himself Sunday, the ball passing through one of his hands and lodging in his leg. At this writing he is getting along as well as could be expected and the wound, while painful, is not considered dangerous.

Good Ahead.

R. E. Tandy & Son, regular buyers and shippers of stock from this county, have gone against discouraging reports for the last sixty days' but their last shipment of hogs netted them a living profit and the outlook much brighter for future dealing.

At Public Auction.

I will sell at public outcry, Monday, December 4th, county court day the Dr. J. N. Page property on Burkesville street. Five room cottage, out-buildings, fine lot of fruit trees, a fine well. This property is in good repair. MRS. ALICE HERMAN, Columbia, Ky. 1-2t

Series of Meetings.

Rev. Kuykendall, pastor of the Baptist church at Burkesville, and Rev. J. P. Scruggs, of Columbia, are holding a series of meetings at Gradyville, and it is hoped that much good will be accomplished. Both are able, earnest ministers, whose hearts are in the work and whose thorough devotion to the ministry will give good results even though a great revival is not experienced.

Insurance.

My time will be devoted to soliciting Life Insurance. I represent the Connecticut Mutual, one of the oldest and most reliable companies doing business. It is an annual dividend company and I already have many policy holders in Adair and adjoining counties. Its standing and dealings with its policy holders is fair and open and has never been held under suspicion. There is no better company, and a protection, in the event of death, is something that no man should overlook. I will have a desk in the office of the Adair County News. J. L. MURKILL.

Doctrinal.

Rev. J. P. Scruggs, pastor of the Baptist church, preached a doctrinal sermon last Sunday morning, which was enjoyed by the members present and duly appreciated by those of other denominations. No undue reference or criticism of others was indulged in but the plain teachings and doctrines held and practiced by the Baptists were clearly given. Some people seem to think that the time for doctrinal sermons has past, but to our mind it is as important to-day and even more so than at any time in the past. An educated membership is important to the advancement of any cause, and especially is this true of the churches.

Wholesale Slaughter.

What a slaughter of birds will be made during the short time the law legalizes their killing, can only be approximated after the season is over. Hunters from every direction usually pitch their tents in old Adair and in large corves of quail are sacked in a short time, barely leaving enough to whistle bob-white at harvest time, to remind us of the days of long ago when their whist was heard in almost every field. We are opposed to the wholesale destruction of the most inoffensive bird in our country, and the recklessness of shooting by the average hunter. Every farmer has it within his power to prevent hunting on his lands and it would be to his own profit and pleasure, as well as protection to his birds, to enforce his rights in this particular.

City Farmers' Club.

It will be remembered that an organization known as the City Farmers was brought into existence in Columbia early last Spring. For a time weekly meetings were held and the outlines of profitable farming drawn and discussed, by its most active members, but as the season advanced, the days lengthened and the nights grew shorter the spirit that animated its members took refuge in the deep slumbers that hung on 'til the dew dried off in the morning, and while its history was never written, to all intent and practical purposes, it was in reality, justly entitled to such, but believing that there would be an awakening and a stirring later on, we patiently awaited results. In speaking to one of its high private, last week, he remarked: "Notwithstanding we have had one of the best seasons for years, yet my crop of corn is the worst I ever raised. It was planted early, worked four times and the land was good but it went to bunnies. Just why this happened I am unable to say, but it must be due to the lack of scientific farming." The gentleman interviewed was Hon. J. F. Montgomery whose farm is a short time since our Republican friends were naming Mr. Belknap for Governor of Kentucky, and in reality it was only two years ago. At that time the slogan with his friends was "Belknap and Business." It was so often repeated and with such emphasis as to almost convince the inconceivable that he would carry the entire country, but the fatal day of reckoning came and it was clear that a miscalculation had been indulged in and Mr. Belknap went to his hardware business with much vim and vigor. Later on a hardware drummer, from a distant city, was seeking an order from a Nashville merchant and after presenting his claims and pressing his cause the merchant replied that he could not buy, that he bought his hardware from Mr. Belknap because he carried every thing. As quick as a flash the drummer retorted, he didn't carry Kentucky. Then he took his grip and went after another.

Recital.

The entertainment at the Lindsay-Wilson school, last Friday evening, drew a large crowd, filling the spacious hall at an early hour. In every particular the programme was up to the highest point of merit and rendered in faultless style to the delight of every one present. Nothing but praises is heard, and the degree of perfection manifested by all who participated made an indelible impression. The music, both vocal and instrumental, was full of sweet strains so rarely heard in modern entertainments, while the recitals, by Miss Duncan, impressed the audience with her sure and powerful knowledge as an elocutionist. Unfortunately Miss Duncan was prevented from a full rendition of her part in the exercise by a slight attack of sickness, but it did not last long and was not a serious matter affecting the programme or her discomfiting. The classical rendition of the

instrumental music by Mrs. Neilson and Miss Penland, reached the highest point of excellence and Miss Penland's singing was praised as never before heard in this section.

M. & P. High School Notes.

The school continues to grow in numbers and in interest daily.

The Book-keeping and Commercial Law classes are doing good work, the Short-hand pupils are now able to take selections as read to them, while the type writer may be heard at all hours. This goes to prove that Prof. Flowers, who is a teacher of unusual ability in his line, is doing some splendid work with his pupils.

Prof. Clemens is very much pleased with the work of his pupils in higher mathematics and the languages. He has a Bible class that is quite interesting to both teacher and pupils.

Miss Kemp who has charge of the Literary department is much encouraged by the conscientious work which is being done by the members of her classes. The quarterly examination in this department resulted in each pupil making an average above that required for promotion, and the classes have resumed their work with renewed interest.

Mrs. Biggs, who is temporarily in charge of the primary work, is giving entire satisfaction. After the X-mas holiday this department will be in the hands of Miss Margaret Taylor, a primary teacher of rare ability. Miss Taylor will also teach elocution, in which she has taken a thorough course while studying music at the Cincinnati Conservatory.

Pupils desiring to enter school cannot do better than to enroll with this institution, as any course desired may be obtained here.

Mr. C. Fredrick Ohlemacher, director of music, is very much encouraged with the work his class continues to perform. The class now numbering over twenty, is the largest and promises to be the most satisfactory ever taught in Columbia during a Fall term. More interest is being manifested by pupils in this department than ever before. The Secretary of the school recognizing the growth of the Musical department and the importance of good instruments for practice, has recently placed an order in Louisville for another new piano. Pupils studying Bach, Chopin, Haydn and Beethoven are working hard, and during the month of May, 1906, a number of individual recitals will be given. The "Bach Recital" recently given by the class in "Musical History" was a demonstration of the class of work the pupils of Mr. Ohlemacher will be required to accomplish. After the X-mas holidays an understudy for Mr. Ohlemacher will be engaged if necessary. The understudy will be a teacher of Mr. Ohlemacher's method, and at one time a pupil of his. Beginning January 1st, 1906, classes in Theory of Music and Harmony will be organized. A Recital will be given Wednesday afternoon before Thanksgiving, in the studio. The Recital will not be public, only the entire musical department and faculty of M. & P. will be present. Mr. Ohlemacher will possibly send invitations to a few of his musical friends in Columbia. A public Recital will be given Christmas, in the Auditorium of the Presbyterian Church.

The gravel being put on the Campbellville pike, inside the corporate limits of Columbia, seems to be quite sandy and the fact is, that it will not last long.

L. W. T. S. Notes.

The organization of the "P. R." Club among those of Miss Simpson's class is exciting great interest in the school.

Almost every one who has visited L. W. hill has had something to say of its beautiful location, but it never looked so beautiful as on Friday evening when the entire hall was illuminated.

The girls of Phillips Hall have organized themselves into a literary club, which they call the "K. S. A." club. They have their regular weekly meetings on Saturday evening, at which time they render specially prepared programs, consisting of papers on the lives and writings of the poets, and one member each week gives reports of the current events, by this means they keep in touch with the world and happenings thereof. The club is governed strictly by Parliamentary rules.

The L. W. entertainments have always been most enthusiastically received by the Columbia people and fully appreciated because of their high tone and excellency. It was the general opinion of every one present Friday evening that Misses Penland and Duncan assisted by Mrs. Neilson, gave one of the most delightful evenings ever given in the L. W. Chapel.

The L. W. Basketball team invited the M. & P. team to play on their grounds last Saturday a practice game, which they did. The game was intensely interesting throughout. They will soon play a match game.

REPORT

Made to the Comptroller of the Treasury of the Condition

OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK,

No. 6769.

AT COLUMBIA, IN THE STATE OF KENTUCKY, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, NOV. 9, 1905.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	\$95,438.19
Overdrafts	1,445.46
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	25,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	500.00
Bonds, securities, etc.	29,300.33
Banking houses, insurance, and realty	5,000.00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	60.00
Due from approved reserve agents	19,595.65
Checks and other cash items	825.90
Notes of other National Banks	1,025.00
Fractional paper currency, notes, and coin	134.85
Lawful money reserve in bank	
Legal-tender notes	5,300.00
Redemption fund by U. S.	5,300.00
Treasurer's (5 per cent. of circulation)	1,350.00
Total	156,982.44
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	25,000.00
Surplus fund	1,100.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	1,574.63
National Bank notes outstanding	25,000.00
Due to other National Banks	370.15
Individual deposits subject to check	100,817.65
Liabilities over and above stated—profit and loss	
Total	216,982.44

STATE OF KENTUCKY,)

COUNTY OF ADAIR,)

I, E. H. Hughes, Cashier of the above

named bank, do solemnly swear that the above

statement is true to the best of my knowledge

and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th

day of Nov., 1905.

Wm. A. COFFEY, N. Y. & C. KY.

Commission expires January 22, 1906.

CORRECTION—Attest:

J. E. H. Hughes, Cashier.

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STREET-CAR FACILITIES
TO ALL PARTS OF CITY

John and Emma Sowe, two small children at Maysville locked in a room, while mother went to do washing for a neighbor. House took fire and children

Lyon county Times is of the opinion that Senator Blackburn has lost ground and that Paynter is forging ahead, but the fight is on with renewed vigor and the result a little hard to fore-cast.

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Land, Stock and Crops.

A few years ago the price of cattle advanced rapidly until they were bringing a profitable sum to those who raised them, and at the same time a corresponding decrease in the price of horses and mules was experienced. As a result of the advance in cattle and the decline in horses, nearly every farmer sold off his work cattle and harnessed the horse and mule, and for the last five years it has been an uncommon sight to see a yoke of oxen pulling a wagon into Columbia. But things change and since the price of horses is fairly good and cattle gone below grazing point, the ox is again fast becoming the beast of burden in many localities, and scarcely a day that a team of small oxen are not seen on our streets. The "Bucks, Berry, Brindle and Bens" are coming back to pull the loads and tug through the mud of winter, while the kicking mule goes South to pull the plow in the cotton field. Things change you see.

A. Hunn bought a five year old gelding from Sam Epperson for \$100. Mr. Hunn will leave for the Danville market this week with five good ones.

Robt. Hudson delivered 5-700 pound heifers to H. C. Bottoms, Saturday at 24 cents.

Two years ago Flowers Bros., brought to this county a male Thin Rine pig which they have kept on their farm, near Bliss, and at present, in fair condition, will weigh over 500 pounds. Of this stock and the product of two sows, J. O. & B. F. Grissom have raised and sold more than \$400 worth and have a pen fattened for the market on hand.

R. E. Tandy & Son bought hogs from the following parties:

L. C. Blair 2 hogs, 550 pounds at 4 cents, Bob Taylor 2, 370 pounds at 4 cents, Sam Elliott, 26, 6,500 pounds for \$270, Bob Rowe 6, 1,400 at 4 cents, Attes Morgan 20, 4,200 pounds at 4 cents Ed young 18, 3,300 pounds at 32 cents, Fmis Baker 22, 4,400 pounds at 33 cents, Bob Snow 6, 704 pounds at 31 cents, John Sharp 27, 4,500 pounds at 31 cents, and from R. L. Smythe 40, weight 7,920 at 4 cents. These hogs, making two carloads, will reach the Louisville market Thursday, regardless of the ups or downs.

Gov. J. R. Hindman is the first of the city farmers to salt away his porkers. Last Saturday three fine ones were put in his smoke house, while several others were left to mash corn and get fatter.

Coffey Bros. & Young bought, last week, seven mules ranging from \$100 to \$150.

H. C. Feese sold two sows and twelve pigs to Will Todd for \$14.

H. C. Bottoms bought of Wheat & Williams ten 800-pound steers for 24c.

H. C. Bottoms will start to Boyle county to-morrow with a nice lot of cattle that cost him from \$1.80 to \$2.50 per hundred.

Crit Bottoms bought four white Plymouth Rocks from Rev. A. R. Blakey and is going into the chicken business. He will not be on the market with his chickens until spring.

J. C. Dohoney sold 3 yearling mules to Curt Warberry, last week, for \$295.00.

Coffey Bros. and Young bought from W. A. Garnett, a mule for \$100.00.

J. A. Diddle sold J. P. Dohoney 13 head of two year old cattle at 22 cents, he also sold Ben Ed Rowe, 6 at same figures.

Miss Bessie Shearer disposed of some of her surplus swine, last week, by selling a pig to Mr. Robt. Logan for \$1.92 and a hog to Press Williams for \$6.00.

W. T. Dohoney bought a 13 month old, thorough-bred, short-horn bull in Boyle county the other day and the price and cost of landing him on Adair county soil was near \$75.00. Mr. Dohoney is a good judge of cattle and in this purchase he thinks he has one of the best ones he ever bought.

Brown & White, of Pulaski, Tenn., purchased 101 mules in Marion county, last week, at prices ranging from \$137.50 to \$150.00 per head.

STRAYED—Two mare mules, a black and a yellow, about 131 hands high, will be two years old next spring, were bought near Creelsboro. Notify J. A. Diddle, Gradyville, Ky., if you have any information of their whereabouts.

The demand for small farms is increasing and, more and more, it is apparent that the large tracts of land must be cut into smaller pieces, if this country is to reach its great capabilities. Small farms, well improved, will give better returns, both in profits and pleasure, than the many acres poorly cultivated. Sell a portion of that big farm to some industrious, intelligent man, who knows how to make things happen.

E. F. Rowe, of Sparksville, sold a span of mules to Coffey Bros., & Young, for \$225.

A Great Educational Gathering.

It is now believed by many progressive citizens that the demand of the times is for general and concerted movement for education in Kentucky and Northern Tennessee. A notable meeting has been called to discuss the subject at Burksville, Ky. The date of the convention is November 30th, December 1st, and 2d.

Prominent educators from both Kentucky and Tennessee will be present. Entertainment will be provided for those in attendance. The feasibility of having a good graded school for every county will be discussed, as also the matter of sustaining a strong educational center for all this territory.

Every lover of education, within one hundred miles of Burksville is invited. Let all coming send word to CHARLES R. HUNT President, Alexander College, Burksville, Ky.

Farming That Pays.

Mr. C. C. Jones, better known as Cook, of Gadsberry, a farmer whose energy and ability has heretofore been underrated by a few of the Smart Set, was in town last week and made the following report which ought to knock out every suspicion in the minds of those who have not been believers in Mr. Jones' knowledge as a farmer. He said: On 1 of an acre I raised and sold 45 bushels of Irish potatoes at 60c, which brought me the neat little sum of \$23.50; 50 bushels of sweet potatoes which brought me \$30.00; 5 barrels of corn which I fed to my porkers, richly worth \$10.00. This shows \$62.50 from 1 of an acre, besides a small part of the ground was used for beans. This is correct, and ample proof can be given. Where is Gov. Hindman and J. N. Coffey, and that has happened on Big Creek and Meadow Lawn?

Dangerously Ill.

Do not, by neglect, allow yourself to become critically ill, as you may very easily do by not taking the early symptoms of stomach or liver trouble in the bud. There is only one safe, scientific and certain curative treatment for all these disorders of the digestive organs, and that is Dr. Caldwell's (Caldwell's) Syrup Pepsin. Try it. Sold by Dr. J. N. Page, of Columbia, and R. B. Wilson, of Cave Valley, at 50c and \$1.00. Money back if it fails.

PERSONAL MENTION.

THE COMERS AND GOERS

Mr. E. T. Willis has returned to Cave City.

Mrs. R. S. English is visiting her parents in Burksville.

A. H. Ballard, Jamestown, was in Columbia Saturday.

Mr. J. F. Montgomery is in Boston this week, on business.

Rev. A. R. Kasey and wife visited in Burksville last week.

Jaas. Garnett was in Campbellville last week, on legal business.

Misses Nannie and Ada Humphreys were in town Thursday and called on the News.

Mrs. Mary Hudson visited her daughter, Mrs. Julius Young, in Burksville, last week.

Miss Addie May Jones returned to school last week after a visit to her father at Jamestown.

Mr. Ad McIntire and Lee McIntire, of Hart county, are visiting their sister, Mrs. W. H. C. Sandage, at Bliss.

Mrs. S. E. Henson and little boy called on the News last Thursday and renewed her subscription for another year.

Mrs. Mary Garnett and her daughter, Miss Jennie, have returned from a visit to Rev. E. W. Barnett and wife at Corbin, Ky.

Mr. W. H. Newby, one of our best citizens, will leave Thursday for California, with the intention of making it his future home.

Mrs. Eliza Willis, who has been quite sick at the Hancock Hotel for several days, has recovered sufficiently to be removed to her home at Cave City.

John Harris, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Harris, who has been confined to his room for several days is improving and will soon be able to enter school again.

Mr. C. P. Sanders, representing the Sumner Hardware Co., in a special line, was here one day last week. Mr. Sanders' territory covers several Southern States.

Mr. L. E. Bradley called on us Monday and dropped \$1.50 into our little box. Well done, thou good and faithful subscriber. Your example is worthy of imitation and if all others would do likewise it would lift us out of trouble and make the News the gamest 8 year old in the State.

Miss Rena Coy and sister, of Louisville, are in Columbia.

Mrs. Edna Murrell is visiting relatives in Hart county.

Miss Lalla Anderson, of Madisonville, is visiting Mrs. W. A. Coffey.

Mrs. M. D. Baker, who has been sick for some time is improving slowly.

Dr. J. N. Murrell, and Woodruff Flowers visited at Bliss Sunday.

Miss Annie Roberts, of Lafayette, Tenn., visited in Columbia last week.

Squire John Eubank, who has been on the sick list for several days, is able to be out.

Master Keith Beck, youngest son of Mr. Sam Beck, was quite sick several days of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Johnson have returned from a visit to their daughter at Hot Springs, Ark.

Mr. E. F. Rowe, of Sparksville, was in town Monday and ordered the News sent to a friend in Indiana.

Mr. G. B. Chestam, of Milltown, was in to see us Monday, and we owe him the News from this date 'til Nov. 8th, 1906.

Mr. T. R. Stults, who has been confined to his room for more than a week, is improving and will probably be out in a few days.

Mr. C. M. Pollard celebrated his fifth birthday, Nov. 20th, by doing a righteous act—dropped a dollar in the wheel of the News.

Mr. Phil Sherrill, recently from Indiana, was in town Friday. He has had enough of Hoosierdom and is back at the "Old Kentucky Home."

Mr. J. C. Tucker, R. R. agent for the Frisco road, stationed at Comanche, Tex., called on the News last Thursday. Mr. Tucker and wife are visiting in this section.

Mr. B. T. Marshall, the well-known traveling salesman, Campbellville, was in Columbia one day last week, and pitched a silver dollar into the empty purse of the News.

Rev. C. R. Payne and Judge W. W. Jones are in Burksville this week. Mr. Jones represents Dr. Oscar Keen in his trial for complicity in the murder of Skinner, which will probably come up this week.

PUBLIC SALE!

Saturday, November 25, 1906.

I will offer for sale at my home near Bliss, Ky., the following property: One good Brood Mare, one Gelding, 5 head of good Cattle, including 2 good Milch-cows, 8 stacks of good Hay.

Farming Implements,

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HANDKERCHIEFS.....	3c to 5c.....
NIGHT SHIRTS.....	10c.....
SHIRT WAISTS.....	15c to 25c.....
CHEMISETTES.....	5c to 15c.....
COATS.....	25c.....
WHITE VESTS.....	15c to 25c.....
PANTS.....	25c.....
TIES.....	3c to 5c.....
BLANKETS.....	25c to 50c.....
TABLE CLOTHS.....	10c to 25c.....
COUNTERPANES.....	10c to 20c.....
LACE CURTAINS.....	40c to \$1.....
FLAT WORK, IRONED.....	5c per lb.....
FLAT WORK, ROUGH DRY.....	3c per lb.....
ROUGH DRY, FAMILY WASH.....	4c per lb.....
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